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GORHAM MAN SENTENCED TO PRISON FOR ARMED BANK ROBBERY

Randy G. Massey, Acting United States Attorney for the Southern District of Illinois, announced today that on October 19, 2006, **MICHAEL C. DAILEY**, age 30, of Gorham, Illinois, was sentenced in United States District Court. **DAILEY**, who had previously pled guilty to a one-count indictment charging him with armed bank robbery, was sentenced to 204 months' imprisonment, 5 years' supervised released, and was fined \$100. **DAILEY** was also ordered to pay \$6,142 restitution to the First National Bank of Ava - Gorham Branch.

The violation occurred on November 26, 2005, in Gorham, Illinois. The investigation was conducted by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, Murphysboro Police Department, and the United States Marshal's Service pursuant to their participation in the Jackson County Project Safe Neighborhoods Initiative. The Federal Bureau of Investigation, Illinois State Police Crime Lab, and Carbondale Police Department also participated in the investigation.

The case was assigned to Assistant United States Attorney Amanda A. Robertson for prosecution.